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Applicant

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Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.121(a)

In response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Amendment.